

# STRATHMORE STANDARD

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## "George in a Jam" Presented In Memorial Hall

The Ladies Aid of the United Church recently held a most successful appeal and just to show that they could be quite as successful in other lines they organized the Strathmore Players to produce "George in a Jam" and this is where the troubles began.

Owing to the prevalence of the flu the company found it impossible to hold regular rehearsals, hence they secured the services of Zeke Stebbins of Cheate, a very handsome young detective to make regrets regarding little lapses that might occur and also to investigate the public to part with a few more shekels for tickets for the beautiful play for which Alfie McGregor with all the grace of the McGregor clan artistically drew the lucky number which awarded the prize to Miss Ethel Brooks.

The parts of each of the characters were so successfully portrayed that had Zeke not mentioned the lapses in the rehearsal none present would have known of the difficulties encountered in producing the play.

The financial difficulties of George Forbes did not appeal to his guardian Jim Gray who refused any financial aid and left for France accompanied by his best strong young and matronous ward, Missy Brown.

Missy Brown gave her guardian the slip and returned home to the house occupied by her parents. This scheme was the plan of Jack Carson the friend of George and who insisted on cash in advance payments which materially aided the financially pressed George.

In Oleash, the colored cook, the new boarding house had a very valuable assistant in the kitchen, had the faculty of vividly reading the telegrams.

The Larkins family were much in evidence with Sara facing the rustic beauties, being a perfect scream, proving conclusively that flu or no flu the young lady must

## LOCAL JOINTINGS

George Palardy and his bride have returned from their honeymoon and will reside on Railway Avenue.

Principal Crowther fell by the wayside a victim of the flu epidemic but is once more able to be back on duty.

Word has been received at C P 1 Headquarters that the insurance on the buildings recently destroyed by fire, has been adjusted and that arrangements can now be completed to go ahead with the new barn.

The dance part by the Golf Club was a decided success. The chair was won by Look Yim, the smoking set by Mr. Weyers, Jr.

Corporal Wallace who has been a victim of the flu is once more fit and back on duty.

The big Carleton that was arranged by the Strathmore School Athletic Association to be held on November 30th, had to be postponed owing to the flu epidemic having ruined a nice sheet of ice.

Mr. W. E. Mercer has been having a royal battle with old man flu and for several days got much the worst of it. However, he is much improved and expects to be quite fit again within a few days.

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The Strathmore District School year will hold a meeting on Friday, December 16th to prepare for next year's world's best school fair. All interested are invited to attend.

Mamma was wrong about that new kid being blue-blooded. I caught him tying a cue to my dog's tail and it came out of his nose just as anybody's.

Mr. Joe Van Tighem returned to his home Saturday last from two weeks at Vancouver where he was called owing to the quite serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Kelly.

Annual Christmas Meeting of the Women's Institute will be held Tuesday, December 6th at 8 p.m. in the first room. Mrs. Duncan Clave will be present. Officers will be elected for the coming year. All interested are welcome. Come and join us in exchange of gifts if you wish and join in a social hour.

Mrs. Woodliffe, St. John's, Wednesday morning enroute to Hawken Creek, B.C. where her husband preceded her two weeks ago. They have taken a small stock farm there. The best wishes of their friends will be given them for much success in the new home.

Miss Geraldine Van Tighem returned Sunday to school in Calgary after having spent the week end at her home.

A special meeting of the I O D E will be held in the Memorial Hall on Monday evening December 5th at 8 p.m. A number of important matters are to be brought before the members.

Mrs. A. Pierson is visiting her daughter Miss Elsie Pierson in Nelson B.C. for the week.

Mr. A. Pierson is with a party who have gone into the mountains for big game shooting.

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Mrs. Fraser formerly Rockton, but now of Olds was a guest of her sisters the Misses Barry for five weeks. During her visit Mrs. Fraser was confined to bed for a couple of weeks, but was better again and able to join her husband in Olds Saturday last.

Miss Helen Johnson of Calgary was a week end guest of Mrs. E. W. Whiteside.

The St. Rita's R. C. Parish, St. Rita's of Calgary conducted a social at St. Michael's Church Sunday last. The address given was an exceedingly interesting and thoughtful one, and full of practical suggestions to be applied personally to the individual life of everyone. Bishop Sherman based his remarks on the Advent Season and St. Andrew about whose character he stressed the following four outstanding characteristics: Personal experience, personal witness, personal responsibility and personal influence. The speaker decried the lack of a living faith contact with Christ on the part of so many church people of today. He urged all to make their own the splendid characteristics possessed by St. Andrew, so would the church be a more potent voice for Christ and His Kingdom.

Bishop Sherman conducted Confirmation Service at St. Andrew's when nine persons were confirmed and Holy Communion at Nightingale.

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## INTERESTING EXPERIMENT

An item in the Standard of Nov. 16th refers to the success of Mr. H. Hanson of Elmwood district in raising about 500 lbs. of dry beans in a field.

During this season experimental plantings of beans were made at Strathmore Irrigation. Headquarters and at various operating heat stations.

The seed was obtained from the United States and included nine standard varieties. By the use of a small amount of Ammonium Phosphate a splendid sample of all these beans was obtained at Strathmore.

At the other points fertilizer was not used but some of these beans particularly the Alberta Beans, the red kidney beans and the Hildas matured well and give promise of being an important addition to the foods that can be produced for our own use.

In the Brooks district these beans are being raised commercially and have brought the growers from 2 cents to 5 cents per lb.

Growing our own food is important in developing hardy strains and it is the beans raised by Mr. Hanson have fair promise that it would be desirable to use them for seed and for others who are interested to try them out. Not every season will be as favorable as 1932 but beans are able to thrive on rather poor soil and stand considerable drought and the dryer seasons will likely be most favorable, should be a trial of this crop around by the worth while.

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## School Fair Financial Statement

DISBURSEMENTS 1932	
Prize Lists and typing	\$39.25
Stamps, phone calls, etc.	6.15
Prize Money	294.25
Stationery and Advt. tags	18.80
Material, Fair Day	7.90
Sports	41.00
Strathmore School	86.50
Grants	60.41
Scholarship	10.00
School Fair Scholarship	12.15
Miscellaneous	6.00
Oratorical Contest	5.90
701.24 Hall Rental	30.00
Shields, medal, cup, engraving	61.85
Donation Secretary	75.00
703.24	703.24

## I AM THE FARMER

I am the provider of all man kind. Upon me every human being constantly depends.

A word itself is built upon my toil, my products, my honesty, the world. Her prosperity is maintained by me; her great Commerce is the work of my good hands; her balance of trade springs from the turnouts of my farm.

My reaper brings food for today, my plow holds promise for tomorrow.

It is my absolute; in peace I am indispensable; my country's welfare depends on my constant reaping.

I am the very soul of Canada, the hope of a race, the balance wheel of civilization.

When I prosper, men are happy; when I fail, all the world suffers. I live with nature, walk in the green fields under the golden sun, light, and in the Great Above where brain and brawn and toil supply man kind's primary need.

I try to do my humble part to carry out the great plan of God. Even the birds are my companions, they greet me with a sympathy at the new day's work and when with me till the evening prayer is said.

If it were not for me the trees of the earth would rot and decay; the granaries would be useless frames; man himself would be doomed speedily to extinction or decay.

Through me is produced the energy that maintains the spark of life.

Many thanks of good life. The iceman will have a rest for the present.

The regular meeting of the United Church Ladies Aid was held at the parlance on Thursday Nov. 24th with a good number of members. The final arrangement for the Bazaar on December 6th is being given special attention. Mrs. P. H. H. was appointed head of the kitchen and Mrs. H. H. of the Dining Room for that occasion. The delightful lunch was much enjoyed by all at the social hour. The next and final meeting of the year will be held at the home of Mrs. P. H. H. on December 8th.

The play which is to be given at a final window of the Bazaar will be the Ladies Aid on Dec. 8th. It is receiving special practice at the present time and it looks as though Under Two Flags will be the best produced for some time.

Neighbour: Why are you pointing one side of your car red and the other green?

Speed Maniac: It's a fine idea. You should hear the witnesses contracting one another.

Hard-Boiled Crook: No sir, I haven't. I wouldn't catch a cheque for my own brother.

Disappointed Customer: Well of course, you know your family better than I do.

## If This Request Granted, Why Work For Living

Demand of United Front Committee of Crow's Nest Pass Institute under the heading of "Immediate" \$15 weekly for married couples, \$12 for each dependent, single unemployed men and women \$10 to be paid in cash.

Relief work, it is demanded shall be paid for at trade union wages, with a minimum of 50c per hour, and there shall be no discrimination on account of nationality, religious or political opinions.

The only justification required for relief shall be that the worker is unemployed.

Free transportation to and from work, free light, water and fuel, adequate winter clothing free, no evictions for non payment of rent, no sales of property for non payment of taxes, free medical and dental services, school children to be provided with hot lunches.

Free partially employed workers the minimum scale of subsistence.

## ROCKYFORD

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoppel, when the relatives and friends of Mrs. Hoppel, gathered for the occasion of her birthday anniversary on Saturday November 26th. Music and games formed the early part of the evening and then the guest of honor supplied piano music for an enjoyable little hour. Many good wishes were presented from the party for a delightful lunch at midnight, and the guests departed with a shower of good wishes.

The mild weather and Chinook wind are doing wonders to make the possibilities of the winter months have started even though the grain is turning out tough. A few more days and it might be possible to get finished. The Hockey Club and Carriers were well organized and had started work on the rink, but the mild weather is setting away with the best produced for some time.

## NOTICE

The Standard will not be published this week until Friday, owing to the staff being away for the week ending Friday, Nov. 24th. However it is an ill wind that blows no one some good and we are anxious to present the story of the big event of the week, George in a Jam.

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## Strathmore School Fair Meeting Dec. 16



# Men's Coats

- Men's Real Horse Hide Leather Coats  
Heavy Blanket linings well cut to clear  
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- Men's All Wool Mackinaw Coats, double  
front style, to clear at \$3.95
- Men's Heavy Mackinaw Coats, with  
moleskin lined sleeves and knit  
wrists, etc. at \$9.75
- Bargains in men's and boys' Sheep Lined  
Coats.
- Men's Moose hide Moccasins 95c
- Men's High Top Moose Hide Moccasins  
at \$1.95
- Men's All Felt Shoes at \$1.95

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Men's Better Wear

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## SPORT

### JACK SHARKEY A MONEY GETTER

Although a misunderstood fighter Jack Sharkey has plenty of box office. Only Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney have proved better drawing attractions in the long history of the prize ring.

The Manassas Mauler has drawn more than \$200,000 at the gate during his picturesque career, a figure that is likely to stand for all time. Tunney runs second with approximately \$200,000 while Garvey holds third place with about \$120,000.

Dempsey drew exactly \$8,500,000 in five fights alone, exclusive of his bouts with Jess Willard, the late Bill Brennan and Billy Miske and with Tom Gibbons. Tunney played to \$245,407 in three fights which do not include his bouts with Tom Gibbons and Georges Carpentier. The retired heavy-weight champion holds the record for earnings in a single fight, having received \$299,445.54 for his second bout with Dempsey at Chicago, in which the latter eventually drew down the largest sum ever paid a challenger when he received \$125,000 for his end. Sharkey, however, has been the biggest money making medium in New York since having drawn \$195,750 in 14 fights here.

Dempsey runs second in New York. In three scraps here, Dempsey drew \$2,200,000. Gene is a bad third with less than \$1,000,000 for his own battles.

Tunney's largest gate exhibition of his two matches with Dempsey was second in New York, after which the Great Intellectual One retired. The bout drew \$691,914. Gene received a flat guarantee of \$252,500. After the federal and state taxes and other expenditures had been deducted, the Madison Square Garden Corporation was left holding the well known fact, for about \$200,000.

### ANOTHER TURF STAR

Another Australian turf star may attempt to duplicate the feat of Phar Lap in winning the Agua Caliente Handicap. The horse, Ammon Ra, has a record of having won prize money to the extent of \$175,000 and has notable victories in Australia, although not classed with the great Phar Lap.

The winning efforts of Ammon Ra have been such as to earn for it the title of 1931 and 1932 champion of the Australian turf, and its entry in the Agua Caliente feature should add greatly to the interest in the event. Phar Laps presence in the 1932 feature acted as a great stimulus to the most important of the winter turf features, and his victory will direct attention to Ammon Ra.

The latest invader is to be shipped on the Narpona on Dec. 11, and, according to schedule, should arrive at San Francisco Jan. 2. Ammon Ra's owner C. C. Sheath, paid \$28,000 for the animal as a two-year old. The horse holds the track record at Ascotwick of 2:30 for a mile and a quarter, the distance of the Agua Caliente Handicap, which will be run on March 24.

### Ardenode Items

Mr and Mrs R. P. Nelson were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Southall Tuesday evening last.

Miss Mildred Marcan, Mr. Frank Sorenson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson one evening last week.

Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. Southall and Mrs. Nelson were visitors at the Nightingale Institute last Thursday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Chas. Joel spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Mr. H. G. Smith spent Sunday last with friends in Calgary.

The flu epidemic is still going the rounds, quite a number of children are at present out of school.

Mr. Ben Plesner is under the weather, also Mr. G. Dawson.

Ellen—Trust her! You surely don't think she could keep a secret.

Matilda—Well I've trusted her with other things and she kept them.

## HEARD ON THE STREET

A Scotsman was stripping the paper from the walls of his home, when a friend called to see him. "Well, would he be going to have a new paper?"

"Na, na!" replied Donald, "I'm leaving."

Who was the Merry Monarch? King Cole.

Grammar lesson on Masculine and corresponding Feminine. Teacher: What is she? Pupil: The objective of her.

Acure is a straight line which has been bent.

Magistrate to woman involved in an unhappy matrimonial dispute: Did you and your husband quarrel on Friday night? Wife: What and the next day? Certainly not!

A fashionable city tailor had taken his daughter into partnership with high hopes of the future upon her graduation from college, but the situation was distinctly not so good.

"I'm ruined!" he moaned. "What on earth I was to let her go into business with me?"

What's happened old man? asked sympathetic friend.

Why the first thing she did was to change the name to Ye Old Clothes Shop.

The zitting novice finished his first game and handed his score card to the secretary.

Two below history he remarked proudly.

But protested the official, this is nowhere near logic!

The novice looked hurt.

Compare the score, he said with the figures on the card, and you'll see—

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IF YOU LIKE A BEVERAGE OF CREAMY DELICIOUSNESS  
IF YOU LIKE A BEVERAGE FULL-BODIED AND SATISFYING  
IN SHORT, A BEVERAGE PERFECTLY BREWED AND AGED  
THEN YOU CERTAINLY WILL ENJOY THESE

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Get the new equipment you need to reduce your production costs

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In order to meet this situation, the International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd., offers to farmers purchasing machines after this date, a definite price guaranty on wheat based on 77 cents a bushel for No. 1 Northern at Winnipeg, applying to a liberal portion of the purchase price of the machine. If the market price for wheat does not reach the guaranteed price at the time payment becomes due on notes given and maturing this year, the purchaser of machines under the plan will receive a credit equal to the difference.

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FOR QUICK SALE—QUANTITY of large turkeys from Government banded stock, weight from 20 to 29 lbs. 25¢ per lb. Apply Mrs. A. Henkel, Box 59 of phone 907, Rockyford. Nov. 23/32.

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Guaranteed Tailor  
SUITS \$23.00  
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FOR ANYTHING  
IN THE HOUSE

Visitor (at station)—Is this the 1:15 train?  
Station Agent—We've nothing so precise as that sir, we just call it the afternoon train.

—(O)—  
Mother (to little son)—Can you tell me the name of the worst chaps laborers have helped to produce any new, beautiful silk gown. Allister—Yes, Papa!

—(O)—  
First Golfer—Shall we play an other round next Monday.  
Second Golfer—Well, I was to be married on Monday—but I'm sure we can arrange it.



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*Give Better Light*  
The new and improved Coleman Mantles produce better light and a third more of it. They are made of special treated and refined and saturated with the purest of light giving chemicals.  
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Friday and Saturday  
DECEMBER 2 and 3  
LEW AYRES and  
MAE CLARKE in  
"IMPATIENT  
MAIDEN"

## HUB

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AND BOWLING  
ALLEYS  
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## Church Notes

ST MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS CHURCH

4th Dec. 2nd Sunday in Advent  
11 a.m. Holy Communion. "In Forthright Times."  
7:30 p.m. Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m. Evensong. "These Last Few Days."

December 10th Sunday. Even song will be at 7:30 p.m.  
**REV. T. B. WINTER**

UNITED CHURCH STRATHMORE

Namaka—Services 11 a.m.  
Namaka Sunday School, 12 Noon  
Strathmore—Sunday School and Bible Class 11 a.m.  
Service—7:30 p.m.  
**REV. E. E. BRUNDAGE**

—(O)—  
**SACRED HEART CHURCH**  
ORDER OF SERVICE  
STRATHMORE

—(O)—  
First Sunday of Month—Low Mass at 9 a.m.

2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—High Mass at 11 a.m.

Every Sunday—Rosary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 p.m.

Every Thursday—Rosary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 p.m.

Holy Days of Obligation—High Mass at 9 a.m.

Every Week Day—Mass at 8 a.m.

Every First Friday of Month—Sacred Heart Devotions, 7:30 p.m.

Catechism Classes Every Saturday—8 to 9 p.m.

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**ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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2nd and 4th Sundays—Mass at 9 a.m.

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CARLELAND, ALTA.

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First Sunday of Month—High Mass at 11 a.m.

3rd and 5th Sundays—Low Mass at 9 a.m.

Every Wednesday—Rosary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 7:30 p.m.

Holy Days of Obligation—Mass at 9 a.m.

Catechism Classes every Monday after Mass.

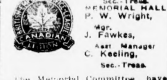
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The Memorial Committee have decided in view of the prevailing circumstances to make a reduction in the rental charges for the Memorial Hall for this year and the following rates are now in force.

All other charges are unchanged.  
Main Hall for Meetings and Conventions—\$15.00  
Main Hall for Banquets—\$20.00  
Main Hall and Dining Room for Concerts, etc.—\$20.00  
Main Hall and Dining Room for Dinners—\$25.00  
The rates for the Dining Room will remain as formerly viz: Meetings—\$5.00  
Card Parties, Banquets, etc. with use of Kitchen—\$7.50

## SCHOOL FAIRS, 1932

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Concluding 16 years of development, school fairs in Alberta had a very successful season in 1932. The first school fair was held in 1916, with one small district centering on this. Under direction of the provincial departments of agriculture and education, the school fairs have grown to be an important factor in rural community development. A total of 129 fairs are now held, with more than 500 rural school children participating and showing something like 16,000 exhibits.

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## WORLD NEWS NOTES

A rise in wholesale prices in Canada during September is considered to be one of the outstanding favorable events in the Canadian economic situation, according to a statement recently issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Popularity of Canadian tobacco in the United Kingdom is increasing. For the eight months to August last, \$550,558 lbs. of Canadian tobacco valued at \$2,445,380 was exported to Great Britain as compared with 4,917,128 lbs. valued at \$1,429,802 exported in the same period of 1931.

The Canadian silver production in 1932 was approximately 204 million ounces, or 19.5 per cent. of the world's total. The production of 196 million ounces, Canada has for many years ranked third amongst the silver-producing countries of the world, being exceeded by Mexico and the United States.

New Brunswick is to stage the North American Cover Dog International Trial as an annual sporting event. Success of two years' trial concluded in 1931. The trial recently has brought about formation of a permanent dog fanciers and owners association, which has fixed dates for 1932.

Photographs of Bangkok's temples, temples, statues, and other places of interest in Siam taken during world cruises by Canadian Pacific liners, are being taken to Bangkok for King Prajadhipok by the Siam's Ambassador in Canada, who sailed for the Far East on the Empress of Asia recently.

Hon. Herbert M. Marler, Canadian Minister to Japan, left for Japan recently aboard the Empress of Asia after a two-month vacation in Canada, strong in the belief that the Dominion is on the threshold of great trade developments in the East. With 500 million people in Japan and China, the possibilities, said the Minister, are incalculable.

China is on the eve of an era of tremendous development in railway expansion, engineering works and general trade, in the opinion of Major M. S. Nathan, Chairman of the Peking Exhibition, who recently sailed on the Empress of Japan from Shanghai to Victoria en route for England. Rationalization and expansion of China's railways would be the first step in this expansion, he stated.

Three months in the unexplored regions of the Fairweather Range in Alaska, with mounting climbing, airplane excursions and skidding was the summer holiday of a party of eight Harvard students, headed by H. Bradford Woods Jr., president of the Harvard Woods Fellowship Club, who returned to Canada from the "Tundra Trek" to his Alaskan home recently. "We had had fun," the students told afterwards, "and we had learned a great deal about the world and the people in the northern part of the continent."

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